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Two Millionth



SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.—The two millionth serviceman to arrive on the Pacific coast since Japan's surrender was Staff Sgt. Irving Feldman, 22, of Worcester, Mass. He is shown as he steps down the gangplank of the Navy Transport Gerard. Feldman, a gunner with the 75th Tank Battalion, was chosen by lot to land first from among 905 servicemen aboard the ship.

MORSE HIGH OF BATH MEETS GOULD FRIDAY

On Friday night at 8 o'clock, Gould's basketball team will meet the powerful Morse High quintet on the Field House floor. This game has been scheduled to replace the Guilford game which had to be cancelled because of an epidemic of mumps in the Guilford schools.

The local Academy five will be the underdog in this contest; as Morse boasts of one of its best teams. They have beaten South Portland and hold the distinction of being the only club to defeat the strong Edward Little team this year.

Gould is stepping out of its class in meeting this class "A" team but it will be an opportunity for Bethel fans to see one of the best teams in action. What the local boys can do against Morse remains to be seen; but if they perform at their best a good game may be expected.

Morse Mannigan and Ben Bornstein will do the officiating.

PUBLICITY BUREAU ANNUAL MEETING NEXT MONDAY

An important forum on "Maine's Economic Future" will be one of the features of the 24th annual meeting of the State of Maine Publicity Bureau in Portland next Monday. James C. Mather, president of the Bureau announced.

Business and promotional leaders from all sections of the State are expected at the meeting, which will open the Bureau's 25th year of service to the State of Maine.

Leaders of the forum discussions which will be held following the business session at 2 p. m. in the Hotel Eastland, will be: For Industry, Clyde B. Morgan of Bangor, president of the Associated Industries of Maine; for Agriculture, E. Carroll Bean of Kennebunk, manager of the Maine State Grange; for Commerce, George H. Mather, president of the Commercial Fishermen's Association.

The 24th anniversary dinner of the bureau at 7 p. m. will climax the meeting and the principal speaker will be Frederick B. Black, Jr., president of the New England Council. Also on the evening program will be Richard M. Hall, noted Maine author and journalist who will give his views on what an ahead for Maine.

Miss Janet Sweeney of Millfield, N. H., is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Stanley Brown and attending Gould Academy.

Six new members were initiated at the meeting of the Bethel Lions Club at Bethaven Inn Monday evening. Twenty-five Lions were present.

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CHINESE STUDYING SAWMILL AND LOGGING OPERATIONS AT CHADBOURNE COMPANY

Mr. Yang Yen-Chin of Chungking, China, has arrived in town to spend four months studying sawmill and logging operations at P. H. Chadbourne & Co.

Mr. Yang is a member of a group of 15 students who left China before the war ended. They have spent several months at Yale University, School of Forestry. Now each one has gone to a different locality to study the actual work.

The group is divided into three groups. The first study forest utilization, plywood and plastics. The second, wood preservation and disinfection. The third, logging and lumbering.

Mr. Yang has been with the Research Institute of Chungking for eight years, studying dendrology. During the war, he has also been a professor at the National Central University.

On the basis of some pamphlets that Mr. Yang has published, Dr. Morrill of the Arnold Arboretum at Harvard College, world authority on dendrology, has offered him a post for the coming year. However, because of the rehabilitation program of China, this will probably be impossible. After four or five years of promoting sawmills for his government, Mr. Yang will return to his own field of dendrology.

CHURCHILL MAKES STATEMENT IN ACCIDENT CASE

The Citizen has received a signed statement from Winfield Churchill which reflects another angle to the accident of two weeks ago in which he suffered a broken leg and other injuries. It may be explained here that the Citizen's accounts of the affair in the issues of Jan. 3 and 10 were accurate so far as could be learned. Last week's report was checked with the Judge of Norway Court and other sources.

Mr. Churchill's statement: "Correcting the statement in this Churchill accident of Jan. 1st, Herbert Lyon as soon as he hit me, backed his car right up and picked me up, and took me direct to Dr. Wilson's. True statement."

BETHEL LOCAL NEWS

Clifford Morrill is working at Saunders' mill.

Mr. Edna Smith is recovering from an illness of several days.

Kenneth Brooks is employed at the Newton-Tobette mill at West Bethel.

Miss Kay McMillin returned home from the St. Louis Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. Mary Nutter from Caribou is employed as cook at the Gateway House.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monahan are living in the McMillin home on Lovers Lane.

Hot lunches are again being served in the village schools, starting January 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuzik were called to New York Sunday by the death of his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin, Portland, spent a few days with Mrs. H. P. Austin this week.

Evelyn Mundt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, underwent surgery for tonsillitis at Berlin this morning.

Henry William Chasoon of Bealton, Neb., was the guest several days last week of his uncle, Roy William Penner and family.

Mrs. Doris Chase and Mrs. Kathryn Salway were home from Portland over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Olson, Mrs. Sarah Morgan and family called on relatives in North Newry Saturday night.

There are many in town who are relieved to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Roy Flaker (Hazel Keniston) in Rochester, N. H., December 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellery C. Park left Monday afternoon for St. Petersburg, Florida at the rest of the winter. They will be at the Victory Park Hotel.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Everett Bean at Grover Hill.

The business meeting was conducted at which time meetings for the new year were discussed. A white elephant exchange was enjoyed and Popena Hasellon conducted quiz games. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Raymond Wentzell Jan. 20 with Mrs. Avery Angwine as program chairwoman.

MARCH OF DIMES CANVASS PLANNED

Mrs. Olive Lurvey has been named general chairman of the annual March of Dimes campaign in the town of Bethel and Locke Mills village. In raising money for this worthy project boxes will be placed in several local stores and the school children will call at the homes.

BETHEL P. T. A. MET MONDAY

Bethel P. T. A. met at the grammar school Monday night with Miss Lucy Bull of the State Department of Education as the speaker of the evening. She gave an excellent talk on some of the newer trends in Education.

The following program was given by pupils of the fifth grade:

Clarinet and piano duet, Beverly and Richard Onofrio.

Piano solo, Sylvia Dyke.

Play, "Billy's Arithmetic Lesson," Pupils of Grade Five.

Piano solo, Beverly Onofrio.

Piano solo, Henrietta Swain.

The program committee was Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Sidney Dyke and Mrs. Philip Chadbourne.

During the business meeting, it was voted to provide \$5 for the purchase to be given by the losers of the membership contest for the winners. It was also voted to refill the school first aid kits. It was announced that the hot lunches were begun Monday and further donations of food or money will be appreciated. The fifth grade won the attendance banner.

The program committee for February is Miss Ballard, Mrs. Frank Nary and Mrs. Henry Flint.

GUILFORD CANCELS GAME

The Guilford game, looked forward to by Bethel fans, has been canceled by Philip Clark, principal of Guilford High School. A serious outbreak of mumps, to which his entire team has been exposed as well as other illnesses, has necessitated the visiting team cancelling all basketball for at least two weeks. This in the second two week lay-off suffered by this Eastern Maine School this year and certainly has put a crimp in championship hopes.

GOULD J. V/S WIN TWO GAMES

On Monday, the Gould Junior Varsity traveled to Bryant's Pond where they won a close 25-23. Young and Bennett with six points each and Parsons with five, were the scorers. Cushman, of the losers, was high scorer of the evening with 12 points.

Score by periods—
Gould 7-13-17-25
Bryant 7-11-19-23

On Wednesday in a preliminary game the J. Vs came through with another one basket victory as they set down the Fryeburg J. Vs 23-21. Young led the scoring with 11 points, followed by Cole with 5 markers.

Score by periods—
Gould J. Vs 7-11-20-23
Fryeburg J. Vs 6-11-16-21

SMALL LOSS IN FIRE AT WEST BETHEL

There was a fire damage of about \$50 in a blaze which spread from the chimney at the home of Mrs. Helen Perkins at West Bethel about 7 o'clock this morning. The Bethel pumper crew was called but on their arrival the fire had been confined to the chimney by the Newton-Tobette Co. mill crew.

NOTICE

To avoid the possibility of accident during snow removal the public are urged not to park their cars longer than necessary on the streets and roads, especially at night and during storms.

Road Commissioner

GEORGE LOGAN
Phone 24-31

NOTICE

The Selectmen of Bethel will receive sealed bids for the Rights, Title and Interest of the Inhabitants of the town of Bethel in the Homestead situated on Paradise street now occupied by Mrs. Gertrude George. The Selectmen reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Time for filing bids will expire January 26th, 1946 at 3 P. M.

ERNEST F. BISBEE
CARROLL E. ABBOTT
J. CLEVELAND BARTLETT
Selectmen of Bethel



Cleveland Lovejoy Sr. was at home at West Bethel over the week end.

Cedric Russell has received his discharge from the Navy and arrived at his home in Hanover, Monday.

T-4 Stanley E. Seames has arrived home after receiving his honorable discharge from the Army at Fort Devens on Dec. 24, after 45 months service. He was inducted March 24, 1942. He served, overseas 26½ months with the 350th AAA S. Bn. He was awarded the Good Conduct Medal, Victory, Asiatic Pacific Theater ribbon, Philippine Liberation ribbon, three bronze service stars.

Pvt. Ralph L. Grover, of Mason has arrived in the Philippines for overseas service and is at the 5th Replacement Depot, located south of Manila, awaiting his assignment to duty.

Donald Bennett CMS-c has returned to his home at Locke Mills, having received his discharge from the Navy Jan. 4, after serving 11 months overseas. He was stationed at Samar Island in the Philippines and Tanku, China.

Cpl. Dale Thurston has received a discharge from the USMC and with Mrs. Thurston is at his home in town.

Rodney Chase, who has served in the Pacific area and Linwood Mason from the ETO have been discharged and returned to their home in Bethel.

Word has been received that Derwood Buck of West Paris, stationed at Casablanca, Morocco, has been promoted to Sergeant. His brother, Pfc. Kenneth Buck, who has been in the Southwest Pacific for the past eighteen months has returned to the States. Both have been in service three years.

RADIO SHOW AND DANCE AT LOCKE MILLS JAN. 23

Smiling Ernie's Radio Show from Station WRDO at Augusta, will play at Locke Mills Town Hall next Wednesday night, Jan. 23. The entertainment is presented with money refund guarantee. If the show is not as represented and will take place rain or shine, snow or blow.

An evening of unusual variety is offered, including tap and acrobatic dancing, music and magic, with dancing after the show. The company has over \$1000 in costumes and the finest sound equipment and seldom plays in the smaller communities.

The same group will appear at the Municipal Building, Rumorci on Friday, Feb. 1. At that show Jerry and Sky, of radio station WHDH in Boston, will share in the evening's program.

LOCAL CHAIRMEN NAMED FOR MARCH OF DIMES

Kenneth R. Wiles of Norway, Oxford County director for the Infantile Paralysis campaign January 14-21, has announced the appointment of the following town chairmen:

G. D. Daniels, Gilead; Norman Goodwin, Rumford; R. E. Dudley, East Stoneham; G. O. Gardner, Dixfield; Charles Foster, Oxford; Frank Hargraves, Mexico; Mrs. William G. Jordan, Fryeburg; Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Bethel; J. H. Poulster, Canton; Harley Rawson, Buckfield; George H. Viles, South Paris; Mrs. Irene Walker, Lovell; Mrs. K. R. Wiles, Norway.

The local campaign, which opened on January 14 and will close on January 31, is part of the nationwide appeal of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for funds to continue the fight against poliomyelitis.

As in the past, March of Dimes collection boxes will be placed in convenient spots throughout the county and coin cards will be distributed. One-half of all the money collected in the county will remain here to finance the hospitalization, care and treatment of local sufferers. The other half goes to headquarters of National Foundation and is used for continuing research education and emergency aid in epidemics throughout the nation.

MAINE BOND SALES OVER HALF BILLION

Total sales of bonds in Maine in all seven of the war loan drives and the final Victory Loan drive reached the amazing figure of \$521,000,000, or over half a billion dollars according to a statement just released by the Maine War Finance Committee Headquarters. Of this amount approximately \$175,000,000 represents sales to individuals and \$346,000,000 sales to corporations, savings banks, insurance companies and state and local governments.

BRYANT'S MARKET ADOPTS SELF-SERVICE

Another forward step in a business established 70 years ago, took place last Friday and Saturday when Bryant's Market had its opening as a self-service store. The store, which has been affiliated with the Independent Grocers Alliance since 1923, has been entirely rearranged during the past few weeks following the plans of IGA experts, and is now a model of convenience and efficient display.

Under the new plan much space has been gained for both the accommodation of customers and arrangement of goods.

The business, founded in 1876 by the late Chauncey C. Bryant, has since been owned by his son, William C. Bryant, and now by his grandson Myron C. Bryant. The store has during the years enjoyed substantial patronage and steady growth, and the present owner desires congratulations upon his latest improvement.

GOULD 49-FRYEBURG 19

Could stepped into an early lead and had little trouble downing a weak Fryeburg Academy team 49-19. Even with such a one sided victory the local club did not look as good as they did before the holidays. Considering the fact that this was the first game since Dec. 15th and only the third game of the season prospects look considerably brighter than last year.

For Fryeburg, Eastman proved their best man and leading scorer with 6 points. Stone, Lawry, and Davis led the winners with 14, 11 and 10 points respectively.

GOULD (49)

Allen, RF	4	0	8
Emery, RF	0	0	9
Marshall, LF	0	0	0
Lawry, LF	5	1	11
Davis, C	5	0	18
Norwood, RG	2	2	6
Stone, LG	7	0	14
Lord, LG	0	0	0
Total	23	3	19

FRYEBURG (19)

Eastman, RF	3	0	6
Abbott, RF	0	0	0
Lubbo, LF	2	1	6
Miron, LF	0	0	0
Honkins, C	1	1	2
Milliken, C	0	0	0
Walker, RG	1	0	2
Ballard, LG	1	1	2
Total	8	3	19

Score by periods—
GOULD 13-25-36-49
FRYEBURG 8-9-13-19
Referee—Morrill.

CONFUSION OVER NEW SUGAR RATION STAMP

The Maine OPA reported today that some storekeepers who are unfamiliar with the new sugar ration stamp now being issued by the State OPA have refused to accept stamps from the new book.

Granville H. Wilcox, Maine OPA Sugar Rationing Officer, explained that the new "book" is composed of one sheet of yellow safety paper about two by five inches which has 10 stamps. One of the new stamps is a sugar stamp 38 and the rest are spare stamps with the following numbers: 49, 61, 63, 65, 67, 12, 11, 10, 9.

Wilcox said sugar stamp 29 from the new sugar ration book or from war ration book four is valid for five pounds of sugar until April 30.

Locke Mills Town Hall WED., JAN. 23

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Patterns Set for Settlement Of Wage Disputes; U.S. Assured Of Control Over Atom Bomb

Reprinted by Western Newspaper Union



Following speedy settlement of negotiations with Kaiser-Frazer officials, R. J. Thomas (center), head of the United Automobile Workers union, explains contract under which employees will share fund drawn from \$5 on each auto produced. President Joseph Frazer of new company sits at left with Chairman Henry Kaiser on right.

LABOR: Hopeful Signs

With individual agreements reached in the oil, auto and steel industries, hope was held out that the understandings reached would serve as national patterns for resolving labor strife threatening early resumption of peacetime production.

With the CIO spearheading the drive for a 30 per cent wage increase to maintain high wartime labor pay, the United Oil Workers' agreement to accept an 18 per cent boost and offered a 15 per cent increase against a 20 per cent demand led to hopes that such a settlement would pave the way for determining other national-wide disputes.

Meanwhile, the Kaiser-Frazer agreement to set aside \$5 out of each automobile sale for a year-end bonus fund for that year's production led to hopes that such a settlement would pave the way for determining other national-wide disputes.

At the same time, the administration's decision to permit price increases in steel products was held up to lead to resumption of negotiations between the industry and the United Steel Workers over union demands for a \$2 a day wage boost. Pending a final determination of national wage policy was a pact drawn up between the U.S. and Kellogg-Fraser, Inc., calling for immediate pay raises of 12 cents an hour, with a sliding scale up to 25 cents an hour as production and business goes up.

As these cracks developed in the labor industry, the government worked feverishly to meet the risk of strikes in the railroad and farm equipment fields, arising over CIO-AFL wage demands.

In dealing with American South Wales and Colville, the CIO and AFL, over representatives of the Form Bureau, Farmers' Union and Grange to act in an advisory capacity to weigh the merits of their pay demands set at 17 1/2 cents an hour pending further negotiations for an additional 6 1/2 cents. Rather than permit the passage of meat production, the U.S. is reportedly now practicing rationing of goods under emergency powers.

In seeking to avert a strike of the CIO-United Farm Equipment and Metal Workers at 11 International Harvester plants, the government set up a fact-finding board to consider the union's demands for a 20 per cent wage boost. Producer of an estimated 60 per cent of farm equipment, the company has offered the U.F.M.W. a 10 per cent raise.

ATOM: U.S. Safeguarded

Even while Secretary of State Byrnes assured the country that congress would have the last say on the disposition of the atom bomb, a British scientist declared that Russia already had developed a similar explosive whose superiority rendered the American product obsolete.

Byrnes' reassurances of U.S. control over disposition of the bomb followed anxiety expressed in some quarters over plans shaped at the recent meeting of foreign ministers in Moscow for creation of a United Nations commission to regulate atomic energy. Concern centered about possible U.S. release of the two billion dollar bomb secret before adequate safeguards had been devised against its misuse.

In explaining plans for commission control, Byrnes said that any

UNO group set up to study atomic control could only make recommendations for action. Proposals not only would have to be approved by the security council, on which the U.S. has veto power, but congress then would have to agree to what extent the suggestions would be adopted.

In claiming that Russia had already developed an atomic bomb, Dr. Raphael E. G. Armatore of London, Ontario, Canada, said that the weapon had a destructive range of 53 miles in width and an upward lift of 6.2 miles.

Repeatedly invented with the aid of two German physicists captured by the Reds, the Russian bomb was said to be as large as a tennis ball and to develop its terrible force by a split of angular motion. Because of the comparative simplicity of design, Armatore asserted, the Russian weapon could be manufactured on a mass production basis.

And all the atomic talk the United Nations Organization was scheduled to convene in London for its first general assembly, with high hopes of inaugurating a new world order guaranteeing peace and justice.

WAR CRIMES: Unique Appeal

While Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita languished in a jail in Manila, three American army officers acting as his counsel carried a unique plea to the Supreme court of the United States for suspension of his death sentence for war crimes on the grounds that he was denied a fair trial by a military commission.

In declaring that firing had ended and no need existed for an emergency war crimes commission, Yamashita's three defense attorneys, backed with documents attesting to meritorious service in the American army, declared that as a prisoner of war the Japanese general was covered by a national guarantee pending fair trials to all under U.S. supervision.

Noting that the war had not been officially declared ended, government counsel argued that revocation of sentence would unfairly punish a prisoner against individuals who had waged a war of aggression against this country.

DEMobilIZATION: G.I.s Protest

Angered by war department plans to set up demobilization centers because of inadequacy of civilian cars, G.I.s in the Philadelphia staged orderly demonstrations against the new program, with complaints that "brass hats" sought to preserve wartime rank by maintaining a large organization.

In announcing its new demobilization plans, the army disclosed that 1,253,000 men will be shipped home during the next six months instead of the next three because accelerated return of troops would leave occupation garrisons undermanned. Even with the reduction in monthly redeployment, the army said total strength on July 1 will be 400,000 below previous estimates, with 325,000 men in Europe, 375,000 in the Pacific, 67,000 in other areas, 360,000 in the U.S. in supply, hospital and other operations, and 343,000 also here as a strategic reserve.

Intermixed with protests to Lt. Gen. W. D. Sayer, commanding army forces in the western Pacific, were pamphlets and other literature circulated by G.I.s increased by the slowdown in demobilization. Hoping the policy, the Yanks called for a partitioning of congress by friends and relatives back home to bring pressure to bear for relief.

South Seen as New Industrial Frontier

Southern industry and resources played a vital part in war production, according to a study of the New York Trust company, and the south may well become the new industrial frontier of the United States.

Most of the practical development of the atomic bomb took place in facilities established for the purpose in the south at a cost of well over a billion dollars.

Beyond the direct contribution to the war machine in arms and food products, the south supplied basic materials for most of the munitions in planes and engines, fuel for powering the planes, sulphur and other chemicals for the heavy chemical industries, cotton for use ranging from bandages to powerful explosives, steel, wood pulp, naval stores and dozens of other important war materials.

UNRRA: Assault Head

United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation administrator for Germany, Lt. Gen. Frederick E. Morgan received strong support from American and French field commanders in his efforts to resist pressure for his removal following his statement that he believed a well-organized movement existed for the exodus of Jews from Europe.

Despite declarations of Gen. Joseph E. McNerney of the U.S. and Gen. Ferdinand Lendulic of France attesting to Morgan's efficiency in directing relief operations in their respective zones, pressure on the British administrator to resign remained strong, with UNRRA threatening to deprive him of all authority if he persisted in staying.

In asserting that a well-developed plan nurtured by a secret underground organization existed for a Jewish exodus from Europe, Morgan said that all Jews infiltrating into Germany from Poland showed no signs of persecution, being well-fed and clothed. Investigations had failed to disclose evidence of widespread pogroms in Poland, he said.

Irked by the incident, the American and World Federation of Polish Jews, with headquarters in New York City, charged the British with fostering anti-semitism pointing to their support of the Polish army in exile in Italy, which allegedly carried on anti-Jewish activity spreading to the U.S. and Canada.

BRUTAL MURDER: Arouses Citizenry

Working on more than a half dozen clues, Chicago police aided by the FBI staged one of the most extensive man hunts in the city's history in efforts to solve the brutal murder of Suzanne Degnan, six, daughter of an executive of the metropolitan office of OPA.

As police pressed their search, an aroused citizenry, horrified by the criminal attack and slaying of the little girl and the subsequent dismemberment of her body and disposal of parts in different sewers throughout the neighborhood, put up over \$11,000 in rewards for the apprehension and conviction of the killer. Acting upon recommendations of Mayor Edward J. Kelly, the city council voted a \$5,000 reward.

In seeking to carefully dispose of the dismembered body by lodging parts in different sewers throughout



Suzanne Degnan, whose brutal murder led to extensive man hunt in Chicago, Ill.

the neighborhood, the killer seemed to outsmart himself, since his actions indicated a thorough familiarity with the district and thus furnished police with an important starting point in their probe. Discovery of blood stains, particles of flesh and bone in the wash-tub of an apartment basement also pointed up the slayer's acquaintance with local housing layouts.

With police investigation focusing up in the neighborhood, two youths were charged with the crime. Both fathers, the two suspects protested their innocence, with affidavits of their characters supported by their wives and neighbors.

NATIONAL ECONOMY: Quick Rebound

With an average individual reduction in savings to permit greater consumer expenditures on important factor, the national economy showed a surprising rebound after V-J Day, Secretary of Commerce Henry A. Wallace declared in a year-end report which estimated over-all income and output for 1945 only slightly below 1944.

In checking over the postwar industrial picture, Wallace said that though the job of reconverting plants to peacetime production largely was completed, output remained small. While employment has risen upwards since V-J Day, the rapid demobilization of the armed forces will result in increased unemployment because of the inability of industry to immediately absorb the additional labor, he said.

Mostly because of fewer hours worked, total wages and salaries shrank 12 per cent during the year, Wallace estimated. Smaller payments to servicemen also contributed to the drop in income, he added.

ARMY:

At the present time approximately 20,000 civilians in the U.S. zone in Germany are given physical examinations and 100,000 more are weighed each month as a means of determining the health curve of the population in the American occupied areas, the army announced.

The work is directed by six nutrition survey units, five in Germany and one in Austria. Each is headed by a nutrition officer with a staff of trained doctors and technicians.

Washington Digest

Trial of Nazis Historic Attempt to Outlaw War



Defense Attorneys Co-Operate to Test the Validity of Effort to Prove Aggression Is Illegal Instrument of Policy.

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street N. W., Washington, D. C.

NUERNBERG, GERMANY. — Glancing back across the hours and days spent in this broken city at the tremendous effort which has gone into the presentation of the American case at the war criminal trials, one can see with aching clarity the pitiful shortcomings of human achievement in the spiritual field as compared to our material progress.

The very court house is a reminder of this strange inconsistency of civilization. The beautiful renaissance building stands in the midst of ruins which testify to the almost unbelievable power of the machines of destruction. Among the statues of the world's great law givers carved upon its walls is that of Hugo Grotius, the father of international law, who lived in Holland in the 17th century. It was he who laid down the principle that aggressive war was illegal by asserting that there was a difference between a just war (of self defense) and an unjust war.

Until now, in the middle of the 20th century, no major effort has been made to enforce that principle. Indeed, the tendency veered sharply away from that concept and only today I heard comment within a short distance of the court room itself echoing sentiments expressed in American military circles to the effect that it was unwise to attempt to prosecute as criminals the German military leaders like Doenitz and Keitel and perhaps Raeder and Jodl. The argument which is set forth and which is the heart of the military leaders' case in this trial was hinted at in the words of Jodl when he made his plea that "What I have done I had to do and I did it with a clear conscience before my people, my God and the world."

It was taken then that the military defense would be that the high officers merely carried out orders as officers of any nation would.

Jackson faced that issue squarely at the very beginning and that is why he threw his full weight into the argument that these men, all of them, participated in a conspiracy to wage an aggressive war. And he proved it with charts showing the organization of the Nazi party, how it interlocked with the state, and then how each step followed the preceding one toward a planned goal of aggression.

If the Americans win their case, it will be a great achievement and one long overdue, for it has taken nearly three centuries to produce a concerted effort to write into international law the concept that aggressive war is just what Grotius said it was — illegal and that the men responsible for planning and carrying it out were criminals.

There exists universal condemnation of all the separate acts of murder, pillage, destruction, enslavement which war produces. Jackson believes that this fact makes condemnation of the thing that produces them sound and logical.

It was very plain that when the German defense counsel heard Jackson's speech and later when they, like the press, were almost buried under the avalanche of evidence in the documents produced, they did not have a definite plan of defense to meet the allegations, either general or specific.

Trial Conducted With Dignity

Shortly after Jackson's address I learned to my surprise of a remark of one of the leading defense lawyers which he made to a close friend. He said that he considered Justice Jackson's presentation a splendid contribution to international law if that he believed that it represented a forward step of great importance of which he himself fully approved.

I might say that so far throughout the proceedings both sides have shown a keen respect for each other and a number of the German lawyers who are professors in universities or accepted authorities on international law are expected to contribute toward the ultimate purpose of the outlawry of war insofar as they can do so without injuring their clients' cases. It may be possible that attempts will be made to sabotage the trial by introducing testi-

mony which might tend to stir up ill will among the Allies.

As we faced the German attorneys in the press room in the court house at one of the conferences which they requested, I could not help feeling that they were approaching their job in a businesslike manner and that they were not permitting the fact that it was victor versus vanquished to influence their attitude. I might add that some of the reporters' questions were asked with illogical emotional motives rather than a desire to obtain information. This always annoys trained newsmen. They have no objection when a reporter presses hard for an answer or makes charges in response to which he might expect an explanation, but baiting always brings a protest from the majority.

Finds Streicher Out of Place

It may prove to have been a mistake to include Streicher among the prisoners. As one lawyer here put it, "He's in too fast company." What he meant was that Streicher simply was not important enough in the Nazi set-up to make him responsible. He was perhaps chosen as a symbol of the particularly petty side of Nazi Jew-baiting. The other prisoners from the first have had little to do with him. His newspaper, which was devoted entirely to anti-Semitism, was an obscene sheet and it went out of existence when it was found that Streicher had diverted party funds. I saw his sheet when I was in Germany before and it was one of those miserable attempts of satire which is simply dirty and not at all funny.

This trial is concerned with more important matters than Streicher's sordid affairs and it is regrettable that he was included with the others, who, evil though they may be, for the most part are criminals worthy of consideration by a respectable court of law.

As one of the members of the American delegation said to me, the real importance of the trial is that it satisfies the allied peoples. They must be assured that it is conducted fairly and they must see its significance. In Justice Jackson's words:

"What makes this inquest significant is that these prisoners represent sinister influences that will lurk in the world long after their bodies have turned to dust. They are living symbols of . . . intrigue and war-making which have embroiled Europe generation after generation. . . . Civilization can afford no compromise with the social forces which would gain renewed strength if we deal ambiguously or indecisively with men in whom these forces now survive."

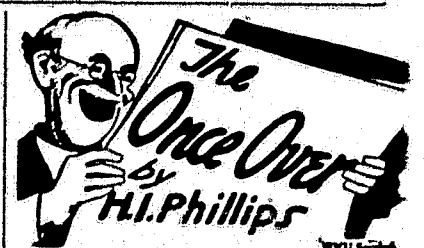
When Justice Jackson spoke those words I was looking at the prisoners. All were listening quietly. Suddenly Keitel began writing feverishly. I am sure that he felt that such "intrigue and war-making" as he had engaged in was perfectly legal and proper.

To eliminate that viewpoint is even more important than eliminating Keitel.

German teenagers, one of the greatest problems in the restoration of law and order, are in some places getting one phase of democratization — instruction in the American national game. Reports from Frankfurt indicate that in many places American troops are lending their equipment and are teaching the Germans baseball. This has been done spontaneously without any suggestions from the military government, which, however, looks upon it with approval.

Of course, the G.I.s well known affection for children, for which the soldiers of World War I were equally famous, tends to put the emphasis on this phase of fraternization with the more youthful segment of the German population. Naturally, any perpetuation of the Hitler youth movement has been stopped and this leaves the boys, especially those of high school age (since the secondary schools are still closed), with plenty of time on their hands. Getting them to spend their time on a baseball diamond instead of on the street corners is bound to be a healthy move.

The commercial globetrotters of the near tomorrow will follow trails to remote corners of the world that the war made possible. The giant planes that will be able to carry you and your friends from the United States due east or west, or north or south, and back to the United States again, will have weather information from hitherto inaccessible areas, frequently where weather originates. And the planes will land on air-strips in many places where a few years back no white man had been seen.



Blueprint for Labor-Management Love and Kisses

This is the Elmer Twitchell Plan for Better Understanding Between Labor and Management:

1—Fundamentally all the trouble is due to the fact neither side completely understands the other. There can be no peace until some system is adopted, so that each side can experience all the headaches of the other.

2—Workers do not get enough golf. Employers do not get enough life without golf. Let the working-man have the golf clubs six months a year and provide him with a set of clubs. After a few weeks of worrying over backswings, the right grip, etc., all other problems will seem relatively unimportant. And the boss, six months away from golf and not giving a darn about the pivot or knee action will find himself a different person. Positively.

3—Let the workers split with the bosses the routine of going through the mail, answering the unnecessary letters, correcting Miss Abernathy's spelling, trying to find the memoranda which was put where it couldn't be mislaid, wading through those long lunches at the Business Men's club, taking all those indignation tablets from 2:30 to 4:30 and then getting home to find the wife's bridge party is still on.

(And make the employers eat some of those sandwiches put into a worker's lunch box.)

4—Alternate months let the workers prepare banquet speeches, sit through dull operas, get into stiff shirts and tuxedos for dinner, use three types of fork and worry about stomach ulcers. And make the boss go to those smokers, stop for a beer at Hennessy's, listen to the soap operas, have a quickie of corned beef and cabbage and endure all those double features.

5—For part of every month make the workers serve on new relief campaigns, worry over dinner speeches, explain to stockholders, wade through the questionnaires, fill out the required federal forms and always keep their pants pressed; while the bosses shake their own drinks, help mind the baby, listen to the radio in their stockinged feet and tend the furnace.

6—Let the workingman have three homes, two cars, an outdoor swimming pool, a yacht and those week-end house parties. That should help make him realize what the boss has to stand up under. And make the employer live in the little bungalow, raise tropical fish, get along with the under-sized medicine cabinet, use the family tub, fix his own plumbing, eat in his shirt sleeves and help little kids with the homework. Brother, there will be closer understandings after that.

(Copies of the above plan may be had by sending in a barrel of potatoes, or a priority on a new Ford and eight lumps of sugar.)

Thoughts on a Housing Crisis

(Continued.)
The Indian was not so dumb—
He didn't toll or fiddle:
He never had to hunt a home
Or solve a housing riddle.

The Red Man is my envy now—
He lived in tents galore, sir,
And they were as he left them when
The guy came home from war, sir!

Elmer Twitchell is pretty angry at the wife. When he refused her an extra two dollars the other day, saying he couldn't afford it, she threatened to name a fact-finding board.

Florence LaGuardia is going to the Brazilian inauguration of a new President as an official ambassador from America. Up to now the new head of Brazil has never had anybody read the American fannies to him.

Joe E. Brown is credited with killing two Japs in a Luzon combat. It was no feat of marksmanship. The Japs had approached to within 10 yards of Brown's mouth thinking they were entering an unprotected ravine.

If he can't figure out why, in looking for a place to name as the permanent seat of UNO the town of Amityville, N. Y., was overlooked, and Peace Dale, R. I.

And, since the peaceful influence is a main consideration in UNO how about Pigeon Cove, Mass.?

CAN YOU REMEMBER:
Away back when the attitude "The public be damned" was expressed with limitations.

The southland is having a tough winter. What reminds us of the winter down in Florida when a Miami paper carried the headline, after a bad storm, "Yankee Blizzard Hits South."

And, thinking back on our Miami beach winners, we wonder if that sign is still there: "Casa Shapiro."

Playful Spool

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LOOKING AHEAD
By GEORGE S. BENSON
Bethel, Maine

Shelter
Mussolini is dead, Hitler is still missing and Hirohito is taking orders from an American soldier, but mortal craving for power appears to have survived World War II. Any individual who can find something that a great many people need, and figure out a way to keep them from getting it, has put himself in a "key position" able to make a lot of people suffer.

One thing people need acutely now is shelter. Strangers of building materials and the security of a home have combined to make housing about the rarest commodity in common use. It is no more a luxury, too. People have to have a place to live and they will pay whatever it costs to get in out of the weather, or they will take whatever shelter they can afford.

Homing and Hawing
Come a new proposed legislation to protect home buyers and home builders from inflation, by government controls. Administration of public affairs brings delay, and more housing. Natural, common sense and common sense will provide protection against inflation through change, an certainly as sturdy walls will keep out more cold than red tape.

The strategy is to fix ceiling prices on residential property, new and old, to all sale building materials and regulate the transfer of real estate. All-allocating materials means giving somebody a right to say who can build and who can't. A really "effective" with such authority could have a great many fellow citizens doing his bidding. America needs a V-B Day in housing.

Guessing at Prices
Ceiling prices on all residential property is an absurd idea. There is nobody in any state able to measure the true cost of building materials, much less prices. Such an idea is only made to break a bad habit of new home prices. It is easy to express in a mathematical curve but its results are not. It is not used to change construction and encourage jerry building.

Can jerry building be stopped? It would surely be wrong to want out of epidemic. It would kill such precious time. Servicemen are coming home now, not after a year. They want places to live, or later they can get wife and child out of the window, spare room they are entitled to a home and just to have it as fast as their local builder can meet their needs.

Pocketbook Care
I don't want to see today's new home makers least of all service men pay three prices for houses. At natural competition among builders would prevent it if they could get materials. Paying a premium for promptness in a time of emergency is a trivial matter compared to the "highway robbery" we're courting in shabby houses, built cheaply to sell under a ceiling. Government's moral obligations home seeking servicemen are to help builders get good building materials quickly to make stable, small houses. (2) Begin no time works to buy the building materials and the time need is removed. (3) Special mortgage money not exclusively through around bank loans could be easy on well built houses and impossible on poor ones.

ROVER HILL
Stanley Martin from North Bethel was the week end guest of a couple. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Martin, who were in the Waterbury Hotel, visited her son, Mr. Stanley Martin, at his home in Bethel last week. Mr. Stanley Martin is a member of the Bethel High School football team and is a member of the Bethel High School basketball team. He is a member of the Bethel High School baseball team and is a member of the Bethel High School tennis team. He is a member of the Bethel High School swimming team and is a member of the Bethel High School track and field team. He is a member of the Bethel High School chess team and is a member of the Bethel High School debate team. He is a member of the Bethel High School student body and is a member of the Bethel High School faculty.

THE ESSENCE OF IT
That the nation under TOMMY, DEFINE DEMOCRACY
IT MEANS REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS BOTH.

MAINE IN WASHINGTON

(From the Office of Senator Owen Brewster)
Maine's Lead in Post War Aviation
Maine has been a pioneer state in post-war aviation. This fact was emphasized in Washington last week when Governor Hildreth and his associates came to Washington to discuss the State program in aviation. Coming to town with the Governor were Major Walter Phillips, Administrative Assistant to the Governor, Hon. Tudor Gardiner, recently retired from his valued services in the European war and now a member of the State's Maine Aeronautical Commission. The group together with the Maine delegation met and conferred with the air officials in both the War and Navy Departments and also with the officials in the Civil Aeronautics Administration and the Civil Aeronautics Board. Maine is now in a position to be the first state to organize a definite program based on State needs and prospective federal government policies and interests. In whatever program is finally arrived at, Maine will have an understanding cooperation from the War and Navy Departments and the Civil Aeronautics Administration.

Maine's air program will center around three state points within the state: Bangor, Bangor and Portland. There will also be other points of great importance—principally Bar Harbor, Brunswick and Portland. Maine is important in national and international aviation in the direct air routes to Europe. The Maine Delegation has been interested in aviation from the beginning.

Important and helpful in promoting and developing Maine air travel has been the fact that the excellent work with the Civil Aeronautics Board during the war. Senator Brewster has specialized in aviation matters as the most active Republican member of the Committee on Commerce having jurisdiction of air legislation by the Senate which was one of the two bills from the Senate selected by the President as a member of the International Air Conference at Chicago last year where international aviation policies were considered. This interest and activity followed the globe circling tour of the Special Committee two years ago to all the war fronts when Senator Brewster was one of the two Senators selected by Senator Truman then Chairman of the Truman Committee to represent that committee on this tour.

New Pictures of Maine in Washington
Everett Greason's scenic pictures show have evidently left a profound impression upon the Maine delegation in Washington and upon those who attended the event in the Caucus Room of the Old House Office Building last week. Two objectives were successfully met. First, the successful presentation of Maine as a progressive developing industrial state and second, in the showing of scenic views which are still being talked of as masterpieces of scenic beauty. These views show the beauty of water and the beautiful supporting and sustaining effects. The pictures were shown under the direction of the Maine Development Commission and were designed to show the general character and nature of the scenic resources and the scenic resources of Maine and the scenic resources of Maine and the scenic resources of Maine.

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LINSCOTT'S WRITE FROM HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Saunders have received the following interesting letter from their daughter and husband who are now living in Hawaii.

Dear Friends:
You may remember the prophecy was made last year that this letter would come from a grass shack on an igloo. Well, the tropics won out and these greetings come from the one and only Little Grass Shack in Kealahou, Hawaii.
The trip out was one we shall never forget. Particularly thrilling was the 50 mile stretch of winding road up into the Rockies. We counted 32 tunnels before we finally reached the six mile one which passed under the snow capped peaks. A ten day wait in San Francisco was a pleasant diversion. Our Hotel was not far from Chinatown as we were able to enjoy their day of independence festivities. However, it was something of a relief that we finally were aboard the hospital ship USS Rescue and passing through the Golden Gate. Soon the red hills of the California coast line dropped away and there was nothing but the limitless blue of the Pacific. On board we enjoyed all the comforts of home. We basked in the sun by day and at turned up to the minute movies on the hurricane deck by night. The latter has its special thrill. Compare this with the best theater you know; the sensation of being high and lifted up, together with whizzing along through the night, a gentle roll, a soft breeze and a tropical moon sailing in and out of the clouds.

Honolulu, at last, and a royal welcome. The Bishop and some of his staff were there to greet us. We were ceremoniously decked with leis of wild ginger and mauna. Then of all wonderful things that could happen to us for beloved Uncle Lee Stevens was there, en route to Japan. It seems that he is in all our big events. Such a feeling demanded some sort of celebration, so we dined at Waikiki Beach. Our residence in Honolulu for the two weeks stay was Cannon's home high on a mountain side overlooking Honolulu harbor and Pearl Harbor. Of course we were thrilled with all the many flowers and new fruits growing about. Of course ordination was the big event of the fortnight; the ceremony was arranged and executed in that wonderful manner so typical of Bishop Kennedy. Beautiful St. Andrews Cathedral was packed. Ex. Comm. on his way to China, accompanied. Two days later after having visited every mission and clergyman on Oahu, we boarded our plane for Hilo, here on the big island. Then next day after a long drive through sugar-cane country and extensive ranch land, up through desolate black lava flows and around an old crater, we reached the lovely Kona country, and finally Kailua, the pathway of the gods.

At last and can you beat it, right next door to a Buddhist Temple, Christ Church is a attractive English Chapel with a most adequate and well equipped parsonage, and grounds beautifully kept and abounding in flowers. From this location there rises in the distance Mauna Kea, the heavy fragrance of tropical flowers fills the air, and high are in bloom. We can offer you native oranges, grapefruit, bananas, pineapples, avocados, limes, papayas and macadamia nuts; all the butter, heavy cream, home grown beef and sugar you want. Of course we must add that our only water supply is what we catch from the roof. Our spare are as big as saucers, and men women and children go barefoot. We are not hired to sponsor any new type of Govt. but are there to teach loyalty to the American way.

4 H STYLE DRESS REVUE
GIRLS MEET FOR TRAINING
Charlotte Cleaves Smith, State Clothing Specialist, conducted a meeting on Pattern Selection, Line and Design for the 4-H Style Dress Contestants, at South Portland Inn, January 9. To date three one girls have enrolled in the style revue which is to take place at South Portland, April 5th.

Those attending the training class were Charlotte Lowell, Buckfield; Norma Honey, Ruth Ellingwood, Oyster Allen, Eleanor Carver, Margaret Grover and Janice Carver, Buckfield; Betty Becknell, Ivy View, Thelma Lord, Verna Moulton, Merle Deering, Denmark; Jean Brett, Betty Hamford, Beverly Gray, Maxine Young, Beulah Staples, Welchville; Bernice Noyes, Ann Newmark, Carline Dorsey, Shirley Bartlett, Mary L. Goodridge.

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ten—otherwise they can pack their Gladstone. It is okay to study all that Govt.—left or right-handed—the trustees say. But to go in for overturning the present system via a regular election, it is a teachers hat round up there in new town. Now Doc Moines is the name used by the San Francisco bulls when they crave to snow scorn for their Sister City—old Nuestra Señora Reina de Los Angeles, as Mr. Dockweiler, an old teacher, likes to call it.

The trustees are asking for a round 100 million from the taxpayers for new buildings, and want to the midst of doing so, the Head man at the school pops off and says nothing wrong with his students' messin' around in picket lines—and being an all-around nuisance. Stipends are just green goings and green enough to be a sucker, but the head man, he should be more balanced.

When trustees are news in that kind of palm trees and tanned fellows they are no garden variety of trustees.
Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA.

CROP AND FEED LOANS AVAILABLE FOR FARMERS

Because many farmers want to purchase their seed and fertilizer during the winter months, crop and feed loans are now available for the 1946 season, according to Mr. Howard C. Hammond, Supervisor for the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Division of the Farm Credit Administration, whose address is Post Office Building, Hallowell, Maine. Funds for the purchase of seed for livestock and poultry are also available.

Loans up to \$400 at 4% per annum and based upon the cost of materials to be purchased or the acreage of the crops to be grown, may be granted to crop farmers, dairymen and poultrymen who are unable to obtain credit at reasonable rates from other sources. Those who are in need of, or who desire to make use of this form of credit are urged to formulate their plans and to apply early.

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WHEN YOU'RE IN THE MOOD FOR GOOD EATING

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UNO Delegation



NEW YORK CITY—Sound Photo—The UNO Delegation, an inspection committee, arriving at LaGuardia Airport to find a permanent home, was greeted by Grover Whalen representing Mayor Hsu of China, Georgij Sakin of U.S.S.R., Major Kenneth Younger of Great Britain, Grover Whalen, Mr. and Mrs. Garvilio, their son Ivan and Warren Keichner of U.S. State Department.

WEST BETHEL

The Farm Bureau originally scheduled to be held Jan. 17th will be held Jan 30 instead and Miss Constance Burgess, State Home Management Sp. Cl. ill, will be present. Maurice Kendall was at home from Kennebago over the week end.

Mrs. Roland Kneeland has been ill at her home at the Bog. Miss Mary Jodrey spent the week end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and Miss Phyllis Morrill were guests of their parents over the week end.

The Pleasant Valley I-H Club will hold a meeting on Saturday, Jan 19th.

Miss Adeline Stetson was the guest of her mother over the week end.

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent

There was no church service at the Town House Sunday afternoon because of Mr. Bull's illness.

Walter Lapham and Kermit Sweeney called at E. C. Lapham's Sunday.

Rodney and Earl McAllister were Sunday callers at Harlan Bumpus.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston, daughter Phyllis and Asa Keniston were Sunday guests at L. J. Andrews.

Kenneth Bumpus has been ill and unable to attend school for a few days.

Friends of Natalie Wight are sorry to hear she fell on the ice recently and broke her wrist.

Muriel Lapham and Shirley Andrews were recent callers at Harlan Bumpus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family were Sunday guests at Fred Teracy's at North Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leighton and children, Lucy and Alfreda spent Wednesday afternoon at Harlan Bumpus.

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Eric Stowe was home for the week end.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Set Stanley B. Seames has arrived home from the Pacific where he served for about 23 months. He has received his discharge and is present in at his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Cole.

Several families in the place have had the chicken pox.

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Willie Morgan and Lester Cole are working at South Paris for a while.

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Gladys Bailey had the misfortune to break her arm a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey of Bryant Pond called on his mother Mrs. Gladys Bailey recently.

Lester and Dan Cole have been visiting their families the past week.

Several from this vicinity attended the dance at Locke Mills last week.

Roy Martin returned to his work at Greenwood City after spending the week end at home.

Benson's crew has finished hauling and the teamsters have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Morgan will take the D. R. Cole place their home for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolvo Lehto and family called at Glenn Martin's recently.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

George H. Young died at the M. G. Hospital Lewiston, Thursday night where he was taken Wednesday ill from lobar pneumonia.

Mr. Young was born April 7, 1867 at Norway, the son of John O. and Abbie Brown Young. He married Isabelle C. Heath, who died in 1915. Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Lillian McAllister of South Paris; a grandson, Howard McAllister of Boston; three sisters, Mrs. Abbie Stevens of Brockton, Mass.; Mrs. Mattie knights of North Norway, Mrs. Hannah Pratt of Mechanic Falls; and several nieces and nephews. A son, Roy, died in 1927.

Funeral services were held Sunday from 1 W. Andrews & Son funeral home, South Woodstock, Rev. Alton Verrell officiated. The bearers were Lewis Bates, Maynard Chase, Arthur Newell and W. L. Peabody, workmen from L. M. Mann & Sons Mill, where he had been employed many years.

Kahkonen-Loocke

Miss Leon Lock of Norway and Edward Oslan Kahkonen of West Paris were united in marriage Wednesday evening, January 3, at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, who performed the double ring service. They were attended by Miss Gladys Norwood and Gordon P. Cairns.

Mrs. Kahkonen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Locke of Norway and a graduate of Norway High School. Mr. Kahkonen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mattie Kahkonen and was educated in the Paris schools. They will reside in Norway.

Mrs. Angie Herriek is visiting her sister, Mrs. Olat Dwinall, at Kennebago.

Mrs. Angie Churchill is recovering from the flu.

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Lester and Dan Cole have been visiting their families the past week.

Several from this vicinity attended the dance at Locke Mills last week.

Roy Martin returned to his work at Greenwood City after spending the week end at home.

Benson's crew has finished hauling and the teamsters have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Morgan will take the D. R. Cole place their home for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolvo Lehto and family called at Glenn Martin's recently.

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MIDDLE INTERVALE

Richard Lawrence is spending a few days with Richard Carter and family.

Mrs. Alice McAllister and daughter, Betty were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Carter, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lila Stearns spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens.

Mervin Buck and George Brown are cutting pulp at Swan Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bailey were at the Brick End House Tuesday.

Paul Carter called on friends and relatives in the neighborhood Friday.

Mrs. Annie Cotton is spending a few days with the Richard Carters.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Sophie Conner of West Bethel and Mrs. Walter Brown of the Steammill village were guests at Mr. Alden Wilson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lowell of West Bethel and Mrs. Linwood Lowell of Bethel called on Mrs. Paul Croteau Wednesday last week.

Mrs. Alden Wilson took care of Norma Ford a few days last week while her mother was in Boston.

Robert Deegan has purchased a Chevrolet sedan.

SCHOOL SAVINGS

Week of January 14, 1946

Grade	Sav. Bank	Total	P
I	\$11.00	\$5.80	50
II	8.00	4.50	76
III	7.00	2.80	61
IV	5.00	2.96	62
V	\$31.00	\$18.05	57
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HANOVER

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sanford arrived from New Jersey Tuesday of last week for a two weeks stay at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barker.

The Pythian Sisters held their installation of officers at their regular meeting last Friday with Helen Barker as installing officer, Blanche Trask as Grand Senior and Selma Chapman as Grand Manager.

Selma Chapman was elected degree mistress. A dinner was served at noon. The next meeting will be held April 12 when the officers will entertain and a white elephant sale will be held. All members are expected to bring their white elephant.

Mrs. Amy Marston came Saturday to spend a few weeks at Mabel Worcester's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barker and Mrs. Wilbur Sanford were guests one evening last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Thomas at Mexico. Mrs. Alice Staples is there also.

At a recent meeting of the Knights of Pythias the following officers were elected:

C. C. Harold Chamberlain
V. C. Leonard Fitzherbert
M. W. E. G. Warren
Prelate—Chester Ladd
K. of R. & S.—William Elliot
M. of E.—Clement Worcester
M. of F.—J. A. Martin
M. A.—Frank Worcester
O. G.—Charles Burnham
I. G.—Isaac Easter

Frank Worcester and Willis Penney are cutting ice for their own use on the Dwight Elliot pond.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:

Annie C. Cole, late of Olshead, deceased; Paul Head of Bethel, Trustee with bond, June 15, 1945.

Benjamin W. Kimball, also known as B. W. Kimball, late of Bethel, deceased; Edith K. Howe of Bethel, Administratrix without bond, Dec. 18, 1945.

Susie A. Plaisted, late of Bethel, deceased; George B. Hodsdon of Auburn, Maine, Executor without bond, Dec. 18, 1945.

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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Rodney Howe, Correspondent

Mrs. Rodney K. Howe and son, John Gregory, came home from Rumford Community Hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Swinton and daughter, Sonia and Dean Farrar were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Farrar.

G. L. Haines and Lewis Curtis are ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burns of Norway were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Willard Farwell carried Victor Robinson to East Sumner Sunday to attend his aunt's funeral services.

East Bethel Farm Bureau will be held Friday at the home of Mrs. J. C. Bartlett.

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NORTH NEWRY

An enjoyable supper party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight on Thursday, January tenth. The event was in observance of the birthdays of Mrs. Lon Wight and Mrs. Willard Wight and the return of George Wight who was recently discharged from the armed service. Fourteen members of the Wight family were present including Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight, Miss Carrie Wight, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight, and son Eric, George

Wight and son, John, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight, Paul and Owen Wight and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight. An evening of cards and sociability was enjoyed following the supper.

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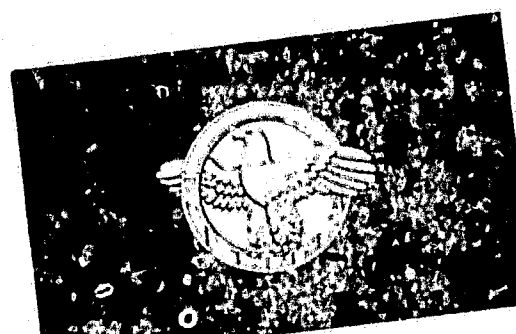
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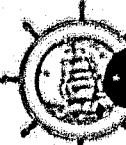
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Kathleen Norris Says:

The Girl With No Boy Friend

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"Join a language class—Russian or Spanish. You'll meet interesting people of all ages at evening classes."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

"I SIMPLY am not interesting, and I know it," writes Georgia Carter, from a Georgia city. "I am 30, I have a good job, I live in a nice apartment, I have no family, and I am completely uninteresting. Oh, and I am not bad looking."

"I feel like Galworthy's little sister, 'Am I alive?' Life is just all about me. Girls are coming to their hearts out over letters, going away, they are not coming back, leaving babies. The new papers are thick with headlines. In our town we had a big fire, a big flood, political changes of the most drastic sort—none of it touches me."

"My friends are married. They have babies. I am not at all the same. But even the babies are not interesting. I am not a mother. I have not even a dog. I have not even a cat. I have not even a garden. I have not even a car. I have not even a job. I have not even a home. I have not even a life. I have not even a future."

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A NEW APPROACH

Many young people in big cities can't seem to fit in socially. They are fairly successful in business or professional life, but they go on, year after year, unable to attract anyone who could possibly be considered in marriage. So they remain single. Eventually they drift into their thirties. Then suddenly one day there comes a panicky realization that the future will not take care of them; that without vigorous trying, they are facing a drab middle age, and sad, lonely old age.

Such a situation is presented in a letter Miss Norris reprints in today's paper. A girl just turned 30 has a good job, a nice New York apartment, good clothes, in fact, practically everything. She says she is good looking, well educated, and agreeable. Somehow, nevertheless, all the men she meets soon turn to someone else. It just seems impossible for her to be interesting, no matter what she tries to talk about.

Miss Norris advises this unhappy girl that she must take a new approach; try to get interested in something herself. She could go to evening school, for instance. There are always intelligent people taking night classes, and among her classmates there are sure to be some who would be glad to number her among their friends. Another possibility would be to move to a small place in the country, just outside of town. Here she could develop new interests—gardening, poultry raising, perhaps. Soon she would have a host of new acquaintances. She would never be at a loss for something to talk about, either.

Afraid of Future.

"Three years between 20 and 25 is a long time. I have not even a dog. I have not even a cat. I have not even a garden. I have not even a car. I have not even a job. I have not even a home. I have not even a life. I have not even a future."

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

Packaged Mixes, Sugar, Sirup Aid Sweet Tooth



Even new brides will find it simple to make creamy-smooth chocolate pie with the directions given in the column. Whipped cream or meringue may be used as a topping for this chocolate delight.

Culinary Strategy

If you're one of those cooks who likes to have toothsome dishes to set on the table, but hates to fuss with too many of the frills, then there is no time like the present to try out some of the ready-mixed foods.

New brides, and by those I mean not only the recently wed, but those who have been married for awhile, but are just now cooking for a brand new husband, will find plenty of help on grocery shelves. A twist of the wrist at home, an eye to attractive decoration, along with an ability to follow instructions will yield rich rewards.

It used to be that a pie was difficult to tackle, but not with all the sugar saving mixes we now have on hand. You can use one of the packaged preparations for the filling, or sweetened condensed milk which is now back on the market.

The pie shell, too, may be made of a ready prepared mix, or it can be baked together from one of the good pie crust recipes which you have on hand. If a cream pie, the crust is baked ahead of time and allowed to cool before filling.

Magie Chocolate Pie. 1 square unsweetened chocolate. 1 1/2 cups (1 can) sweetened condensed milk. 1/2 cup water. Baked pie shell (8-inch). Melt chocolate in top of double boiler. Add sweetened condensed milk, stirring over boiling water about five minutes or until mixture is thickened. Add the water and mix until thoroughly blended. Pour into baked pie shell and garnish with whipped cream, if desired. Chill before serving.

Butterscotch Tarts. Make tart shells either in muffin tins or small pie plates. Prepare butterscotch filling according to directions on packaged mix, adding a beaten egg yolk and melted butter if extra richness is desired. Fill curled pastry shells and top with meringue made by beating an egg white and blending in two tablespoons of granulated sugar. Bake on top of tarts and brown under broiler for two to three minutes.

For those of you who are anxious about making desserts, there is good news in the appliance department. An extra-sweet corn syrup is now on the market. It contains a higher amount of dextrose than ordinary corn syrup, and while it is not only more nutritious, it is also 10 per cent sweeter than the standard corn syrup.

Here are two recipes which you will enjoy using with extra-sweet corn syrup.

Refrigerator Cookies. (Makes 4 dozen 2-inch cookies) 1/2 cup shortening

Prepare foods in advance and save time. Meat loaves, steaks and chops may be made in advance and stored in the refrigerator for later use. Just heat and serve when ready.

Mix a week's supply of refrigerator rolls and bake as needed. Freshly baked rolls are always a treat.

Dry ingredients for biscuits, muffins and pastry can be mixed in advance and the liquids added just before using. Chilling makes most of these mixes even better.

Homemade frozen cream cakes and meringues may be made in advance and stored in the freezer compartment.

Gelatin puddings and salads are usually stored if they are used in a refrigerator. This tends to keep them chilled.

Get the best of both worlds.

Lynn Chambers' Menu Ideas

Ment Loat Creamed Potatoes
Buttered Cabbage
Cinnamon Rolls Green Salad
Butterscotch Tarts
Recipe given.

1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup extra-sweet corn syrup
1 egg, slightly beaten
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1 1/4 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
Cream shortening and add sugar slowly, creaming well after each addition. Add the corn syrup, a small amount at a time and continue creaming. Add a third of the egg at a time and beat well after each addition. Blend in vanilla. Sift flour, measure and sift with baking powder. Add to creamed mixture, blending well. Shape into a roll, two inches in diameter. Wrap in waxed paper and chill in refrigerator. Slice very thin and bake in a moderately hot (375 degrees F.) oven for 10 minutes.

Apple Pie.

7 apples
1 cup extra-sweet corn syrup
1 cup cream
1 tablespoon corn starch
1 tablespoon sugar
1 (teaspoon) cinnamon
1 pie shell
Peel and core the apples and then cook them with the corn syrup in a covered pan until tender. Remove the cover and cook down the syrup. Make a pie shell using a nine-inch tin. Place the apples in the pie shell, pour in the cream, one tablespoon of cornstarch, one tablespoon of sugar and dust with cinnamon. Bake the pie in the open shell.

If you have trouble keeping the cookie jar filled on busy school days, then you'll like this recipe which makes four dozen delectable crunchies.

Orange Crunchies. (Makes 4 dozen) 1 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup soft shortening
1/2 cup sugar
1 teaspoon grated orange rind
1 egg
1/2 cup milk
3 cups corn flakes
Sift flour before measuring, then sift again with baking powder and salt. Cream shortening, add sugar and orange rind and cream until light. Beat in egg vigorously. Add flour mixture alternately with milk. Fold in gradually corn flakes and nuts. Drop from teaspoon onto a greased baking sheet, two inches apart. Bake in a moderately slow (350 degrees F.) oven for 15 minutes or until lightly browned. Remove cookies from pan at once.



Butterscotch tarts are easy to make when the pastry shells are prepared or mixed in advance. A ready-made filling will taste homemade with the addition of eggs and butter, added for richness.

Now that bananas make their appearance occasionally at the store, you'll be interested in new ways to prepare them. Here they go into a mouth-watering pudding with a vanilla wafer crust, custard and meringue, all of which spell nourishment as well as good eating.

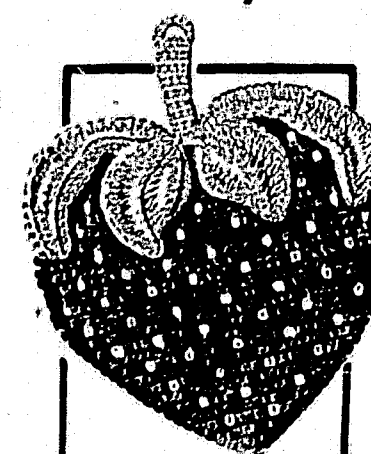
Banana Pudding. (Serves 6) 1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 eggs, separated
2 cups scalded milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
3 sliced bananas
2 tablespoons sugar
Vanilla wafers

Line a seven-inch baking dish with vanilla wafers. Mix sugar with sifted flour and salt. Gradually add beaten egg yolks to scalded milk and pour slowly into dry ingredients. Cook 15 minutes in a double boiler, stirring constantly until thickened. Add flavoring. Place bananas in water-filled dish and cover with custard. Beat egg whites with stiff, add two tablespoons sugar and spread over custard. Bake 15 minutes in a slow oven.

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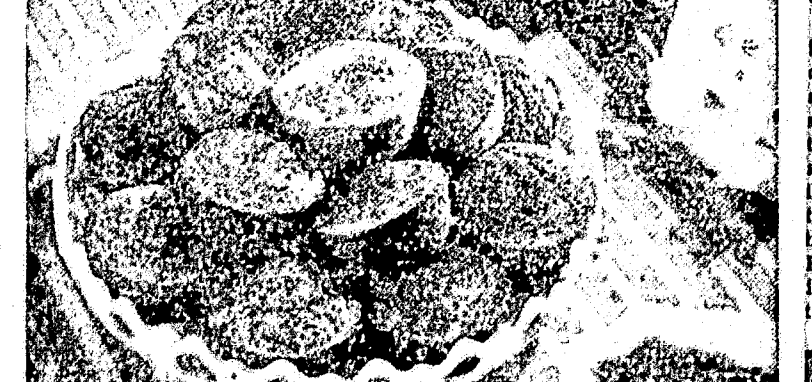
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(4,000 to 7,000 feet above sea level)
to the southern part next to the bor-
der of Mexico (500 to 2,500 feet alti-
tude). On the broad plains and the
mountain sides they graze their
livestock, and through the valleys
they lead the irrigation waters. They
grow long staple cotton, wheat,
corn, barley, oats, potatoes and im-
mense quantities of sub-tropical
fruits. Their dates thrive, and their
citrus industry is steadily growing.
From their mines they get copper,
gold, silver, lead, asbestos, zinc and
other metals.

Arizona is "A Land Made for Liv-
ing," the citizens say. Phoenix, the
capital city, is an example. In 1868
a tiny settlement sprang up as a
stagecoach stop. Two years later
the townsite was formally laid out,
and in 1881 the new community was
incorporated. In 1893, Phoenix—the
territorial seat of government—
boasted a population of 3,000. Today
Phoenix is the Southwest's largest
inland city, and has a metropol-
itan population of 153,000. Its grace-



that region home. And Oraibi, in
the Indian country, is said to be the
oldest continuously inhabited vil-
lage in the United States!

First, there were cliff dwellers,
the home-owners of the distant
past. Then the Indians, many tribes
and many kinds. Ruins of ancient
cities tell of homes. In 1540 Cor-
onado came searching for the Seven
Cities of Cibola. Then came the
Spaniards with their priests, their
herds, and their desire to build mis-
sions and homes. And later other
white men, lured by gold and ad-
venture, came too. Kit Carson came,
and bandits too. The covered wagon
and the stagecoach rattled over
dusty trails.

"God Enriches."
"Ditat Deus" is the motto of Ari-
zona. It means "God enriches."

Other landmarks include Inscription
house, Dinosaur tracks, Superstition
mountain, and man-made wonders
such as Roosevelt and Boulder
dams, San Xavier and Tumacacori
missions, Indian reservations, old
stagecoach stations and bullet-
scarred ghost towns.

Fishing, hunting, swimming, hik-
ing, motor-ing -- from conven-
walled lakes to cactus-studded
mountains, Arizona offers the good
life, for a day, or a year, or for
a lifetime -- as a little Switzerland
in its northern mountains. It has
temperate living under palm
trees in the southern part. That is
Arizona, the Arizona men call
home!

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SIDNEY P. OSBORN
Governor of Arizona

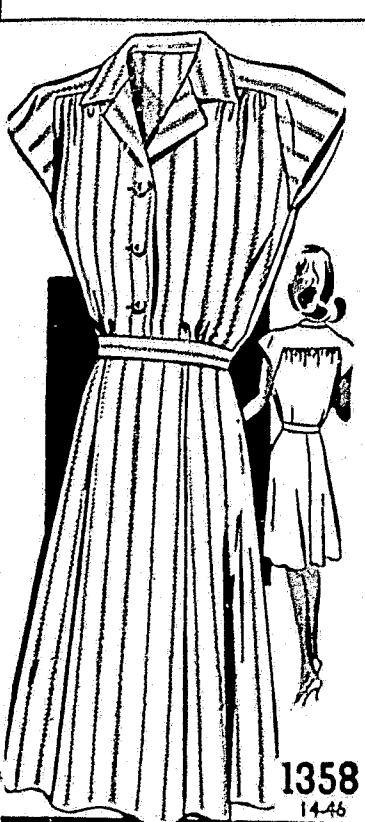
Born in Phoenix, Sidney Preston
Osborn has always been close to
his native state. In 1899 he was a
page boy in the territorial legisla-
ture. He was elected governor in
1940. He has had a long career as a
newspaper man and once operated a
cotton farm at Higley, Ariz.



ANGEL TRAIL... In the Inner
canyon of Grand Canyon, the Co-
lorado river is a mile straight down,
but nine miles by trail.

The Navajos are the largest tribe of full-blooded
Indians in the United States, numbering not less than
42,000, divided into 45 tribes or clans. The Navajo
Indian reservation contains about 8,000,000 acres of
land. Their rough desert country is characterized by
mesa, butte, volcanic neck, canyon and wash, with
variety and beauty of erosion and wind-blown sand.
The tribe numbered about 9,000 in 1869, but is the
only Indian tribe which has increased its numbers
from year to year. The Navajos are pastoral semi-
nomads, their movements largely seasonal. They live
chiefly by raising sheep, but augment their earnings
by blanket weaving, silver work and gathering piñon
nuts. They express a rare sense of beauty in their arts,
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The Golden Text is: "He that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting" (Galatians 6: 8).

BORN

In Rumford, Jan. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Swain of Bethel, a daughter.

MARRIED

At West Paris, Jan. 9 by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Edward Karkonan of West Paris and Miss Leona Locke of Norway.

DIED

In Rochester, N. H., Dec. 22, Mrs. Roy Flaker.

At Lewiston, Jan. 10, George H. Young of West Paris, aged 78 years.

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BAILEY HEADS CMP FARM SERVICE WORK

The recent appointment of Frank R. Bailey, Augusta, to the post of Director of Farm Service for Central Maine Power Company's Commercial Department will be of wide

interest in farming circles throughout the area served by that Company in Maine. Bailey will cooperate with the Department of Agriculture of Maine, with the Extension Service of the University of Maine, with County Agents and Club leaders in connection with all Home Demonstrations and with all matters pertaining to the use of electric light and power in farming. He will work also with electrical appliance dealers and electrical contractors on farm installations; and finally, will make his advice and services available to farm operators who require technical knowledge or help.

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What is needed for both winter and summer? Although perfect repair, the people who types of wash, be washed by the Collect. Other clean and neat be dry-cleaned. tributed.

Have you letters with send? Here is from our nation J. Kaiser: "of last spring that many letters with These letters ed and inspire piles. In the A section, the A have the opportunity 000,000 letters tremendously son will be which this exceptional friendship peace of the v.

Let's be proud with clothing. The Post Office receiving station there as soon her Thursday, last day.

GOULD SKIE IN MEET AT

Lyndon Institute gained a stinging Academy and Vermont in the Saturday. This be held in Vermont to be transferred snow condition. Lyndon, Vermont, scored 330 352.51 as the 1st with a meet to v. trail. Gould cross country both rivals, the means Lyndon this event.

DOWNHILL

1—Shaver (1)
2—Leach (1)
3—Allard (1)
4—Guy (1)
5—Hunt (1)
6—Hale (1)
7—Hale (1)
8—Hale (1)
9—Hale (1)
10—Hale (1)

CROSS COUNTRY

1—Shaver (1)
2—Leach (1)
3—Allard (1)
4—Guy (1)
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9—Hale (1)
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JUMPING

1—Shaver (1)
2—Leach (1)
3—Allard (1)
4—Guy (1)
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